Name of the Hospital	No. of patients admitted	No. of patients saved
Dr. RML Hospital	611	318
Safdarjung Hospital	5532	5082
GTB Hospital	300	above 150
LNJP Hospital	1623	1209
D.D.U. Hospital	63	57
LHMC & Associated Hospitals	28	Nil.

(e) Steps to upgrade all the departments of the hospitals including the burns department are taken each year within the overall availability of resources.

Committee set up for Career improvement of the employees

4165. SHRI CHATURANAN MISHRA:
SHRI N. E. BALARAM:

Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that a committee was set up to look into the career improvement of employees of certain autonomous/statutory bodies possessing professional qualifications in ISM and H|Yoga|Naturopathy so as to be comparable to the terms and conditions of services of similar employees of CGHS under ISM&H in July, 1991;

(b) if so, whether the question of disparities in the grades and Pay scales of the Junior Doctors of Central Council for Research in Homoeopathy (CGHS) and the Junior Doctors of other Central Government Helath Services was referred to this committee; and

(c) if so, the details and what is the decision of the committee thereon?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI PABAN SINGH GHATOWAR): (a) and (b) Yes, Sir.

(c) The Committee has suggested revision of pay scales at different levels keeping in view the pay scales of similar posts in CGHS.

Joint task force to control malaria

4166. SHRI SHIV PRATAP MISHRA: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have constituted a Joint task force in collaboration with the World Health Organisation for evolving some new strategies for the control of malaria; if so, the details thereof; and

(b) the number of malaria patients detected during the last year and the reasons for its spread in different parts of the country; and what steps Government propose to take for controlling the malaria?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI PABAN SINGH GHATOWAR): (a) The Task Force was constituted in August, 1992 for evaluating the existing strategy for control of malaria and recommending appropriate strategies for its control, particularly in tribal areas. The Task Force has recently submitted its report; it has recommended decentralisation of the programme and its implementation based on micro plans; early diagnoses and disease management; community participation and health education.

(b) 1.42 million malaria cases have been reported during 1992.

Vector developing resistance to insecticides and parasite developing resistance to medicines in certain areas, increasing urbanisation and industrialisation, inadequate health infrastructure etc. are responsible for spread of malaria.

Towards effective malaria control, malariogenic stratification with revised strategy consisting of prompt case detection and treatment and use of new bio-technologies for vector control are planned.

Supply of Medicines from Medical Stores Organisation

4167. SHRI SHIV PRATAP MISHRA: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the State Government have requested for the supply of medicines from Medical Stores Organisation for implementing the various health programmes effectively; if so, the details thereof;

(b) whether the medicines have been supplied by the Medical Stores Organisation as and when requested by the State Government; and

(c) if not, the steps taken or proposed to be taken by Government for supplying the medicines so that people should not be affected due to non-availability of the medicines?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI PABAN SINGH GHATOWAR): (a) to (c) Medical Stores Organisation primarily caters to the requirements of Central Government Hospitals/Dispensaries and National Health Programmes. Some State Governments also place indents.

Indented medicines are supplied either from available stocks or within a reasonable period of time required for procurement and supply.

Chloroquin ineffective to sure malaria cases

4168. SHRI S. S. AHLUWALIA: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Mosquitoes in the country have become DDT resistant and common medicine 'Chloroquin' has become ineffective to cure Malaria cases;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof;

(c) whether any new medicine has come in the market for Malaria and new method invented for destroying Mosquitoes in the country;

(d) if so, what are the details thereof;

(e) whether Government propose to promote traditional herbal medicines to counter the Malaria and Mosquito menace in the country; and

(f) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI PABAN SINGH GHATOWAR): (a) and (b)